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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CONGRESSIONAL

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We are authorized to announce SAM C. MAJOR as a candidate for Representative in Congress from the Seventh Congressional District, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

COUNTY

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We are authorized to announce ELMER C. DUEBBERT as a candidate for Collector of Lafayette County, subject to the action of the Republican party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce POLK PHILLIPS as a candidate for County Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce M. T. HARTMAN as a candidate for County Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce ZACH W. WRIGHT as a candidate for County Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce J. F. WINN as a candidate for the office of County Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce W. B. DOUGLASS as a candidate for County Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce F. L. CARTER as a candidate for County Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce JOSEPH KUEHL as a candidate for County Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce E. M. THOMAS as a candidate for Presiding Judge of the County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce C. L. GLASSCOCK as a candidate for Presiding Judge of the County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce JULIUS VOGT as a candidate for Presiding Judge of the County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce W. T. TUTT as a candidate for renomination for the office of Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce GEO. H. PROCK as a candidate for the office of Judge of the Western District, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce W. M. MILLER as a candidate for Judge of the Eastern District, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce W. T. WERNWAG as a candidate for re-nomination for the office of Recorder of Deeds, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE W. BATES as a candidate for re-nomination for the office of Clerk of the County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

We are authorized to announce STEPHEN N. WILSON as a candidate for re-nomination for the office of Probate Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 6, 1918.

Wart Substitutes.
Economy for Waste.
Cooperation for Criticism.

Knownage of Prices for Gossip about Profits.

Cornmeal and Oatmeal for Wheat.

Fish for Beef and Bacon.

Vegetable Oils for Animal Fats.

The Garden Hoe for the Golf Stick.

Performance for Argument.

Service for Sneers.

Patriotic Push for Peevish Perillities.

Perishable for Preservable Foods.

Greater Production for a German Peace.

The Beef You Do not Eat for the Rifle You can Not Carry.

Conservation for Conversation.

Common Sense for Common Gossip.

Marketing for Telephoning.

Production for Pessimism.

—Canada Food Bulletin.

Carl Petesch came in from Columbia Wednesday evening to visit home folks.

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Mrs. W. M. Welsh went to Kansas City this morning for a few days' visit.

RED CROSS DRIVE STILL GOING FORWARD

"Over the Top" by Noon of the First Day. \$74,155 Reported Wednesday Night.

Monday, May 20th, 1918, may be remembered long in Lafayette county as the day when it established itself firmly at the top in the Red Cross drive, by completing and almost doubling its quota in one day. The growing unity of thought and sincerity of purpose to DO to the finish was shown in no failing terms when voluntary gifts to such an amount were made, where one year ago a smaller amount was secured only through solicitation.

The results of Monday's success were made possible largely by contributions of people of moderate means. Labor of all kinds was conspicuous in its liberal giving.

The management of the day's work and the organization for it were attend to by J. C. McGrew whose natural talent for detail and organization combined with boundless energy made possible the splendid result.

Lafayette county with a quota of \$51,000 went "over the top" by noon, and when the day closed \$70,147.00 had been subscribed.

The following table shows the subscriptions reported from the various towns Wednesday night:

Town	Quota	Sub'n.
Alma	\$ 1800	\$ 3600.00
Aullville	600	600.00
Bates City	600	900.00
Concordia	3600	5010.00
Corder	3300	6513.20
Dover	800	1675.50
Higginsville	10000	14208.00
Lexington	16500	21552.05
Mayview	1200	3359.80
Napoleon	600	1500.00
Odessa	8000	9025.00
Waverly	1900	2711.50
Wellington	2400	3500.00
Total	\$51,000	\$74,155.05

Red Cross Benefit "Every Bite"

The Red Cross benefit given on Central College campus Tuesday evening was the cleverest entertainment offered Lexington people for many a day. The program was in two parts—the first, made up of patriotic and popular numbers by W. M. A. band and war songs and readings with tableaux, by Central pupils, was given with their usual success.

The major interest of the evening was centered in the second half of the program. The Central girls, assisted by Wentworth cadets gave as advertised, a play entitled "Every Bite." The play is unique in itself and does not diverge from its incorporated idea of food saving for war winning. We were introduced to personified Economy, Patriotism, Every Bite, Extravagance, Garbage Can, Wheat, Meat, Sugar, Fat and all the Wheat Substitutes. The play provides for many graceful dances and pictures by the large number of characters. It was excellently given and through the work of its participants the D. A. R. ladies, who sponsored the performance, cleared \$140 for the Red Cross.

Mrs. Gus Helbeck left this morning for Pueblo, Col., after a visit here with relatives. Miss Carrie Guenther accompanied her as far as Kansas City to spend the day.

Mrs. W. M. Burke returned to Kansas City this morning after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Campbell. Mrs. Campbell accompanied her home for a few days' visit.

Edwin Beisenherz returned to Jamestown this morning after a visit with his mother, Mrs. Wm. Beisenherz.

Mrs. Ernest Hoffman, Mrs. Joe Golden and Mrs. Thomas McIntyre went to Kansas City this morning for a few days' visit.

WOMEN ASK FOR RATIONING PLAN

American Women Volunteer to Buy Fixed Amounts of Meat, Bread Flour, Sugar and Butter.

PLAN STARTED IN NEW YORK.

Idea Supplements U. S. Food Administration's New Home Card Now in 10,000,000 Homes.

The women of America, who are anxious to do their great part in the winning of the war, are now, as a whole, familiar with the most important aspects of food conservation. The Home Card, both in its original form and in the revised edition for 1918, which provides for two wheatless days, one meatless day a week, in addition to a wheatless meal every day, has been placed by the Food Administration after a vigorous campaign in 10,000,000 American homes. An intelligent and conscientious observance of the Home Card's requirements is all the Food Administration asks of the housewives of the country.

The Food Administration has had a great many requests, however, particularly from the homes of the well-to-do, that it should issue a worked out plan for a voluntary system of rationing.

This desire for a voluntary ration springs from two causes—first, because it is far simpler for the housewife to save food when she has a concrete working plan by which to proceed, and, second, because the loyal women of America desire, unselfishly, to put themselves on the same basis as the women of the Allied countries. The ration proposed by the Food Administration is almost the same as that adopted in England for voluntary observance. All over the United Kingdom, in hundreds of houses there hangs in the front window a card with the stirring pledge, "IN HONOR BOUND WE ADOPT THE NATIONAL SCALE OF VOLUNTARY RATIONS."

The ration recommended by the Food Administration, and adopted first in New York city, whence the idea has spread through the entire country, is the following:

	Weekly Allowance Per Person
Meat—Beef (fresh, salted, tinned and hashed); mutton, lamb and veal (tinned by preference).....	2½ lb.
Butter.....	½ lb.
Cooking Fats (margarine, lard, tallow substitutes, vegetable oils).....	¼ lb.
Wheat Flour (for use in cooking gravies, etc., where corn starch, cracker dust or bread crumbs cannot be substituted).....	¼ lb.
Victory Bread (containing at least 20 per cent. of a substitute for wheat flour)....	1½ lbs.
Sugar (including all sugar used on the table and in cooking and all sweetmeats and candies, but not that used for canning and preserving).....	¼ lb.

The items listed above are the only ones which are definitely limited. In the case of milk and cream, as much may be used as necessary, and children, of course, must have their full allowance of whole milk. Fish and poultry, any cereal other than wheat, vegetables and fruits and cheese may be used as freely as is desired.

The above ration is in no wise intended to supplant the Home Card, but rather to supplement it. It has been published with the idea that it will be a very real aid to the American woman in her splendid effort to carry out the great food conservation program.

USE MORE POTATOES.

T. L. P. record the 1917 record breaking potato crop. Government experts have estimated that over 700,000 extra acres of potatoes were planted last year. The United States Food Administration is endeavoring to push the nation's big potato stocks into channels of trade and has placed potatoes on the list of substitutes that may be bought along with wheat flour.

Potato soup has become a war dish. Here is a recipe that has been tested by United States Food Administration experts. Ingredients needed are three potatoes, one quart of milk, two slices onion, three tablespoons butter substitute, two tablespoons flour, one and one-half tablespoons salt, one-quarter teaspoon celery salt, one-eighth teaspoon pepper, few grains cayenne and one teaspoon chopped parsley.

Cook potatoes in boiled salted water. When soft run through a strainer. Scald milk with onion, remove onion and add milk slowly to potatoes. Melt the fat, add dry ingredients, stir until well mixed, then stir into boiling soup. Cook one minute, strain and sprinkle with barley.

June Woman's Home Companion

In the June Woman's Home Companion is given the amazing result of the Dime Drive for "binding the wounds of a soldier"—thirty thousand dimes, which kept the mailing department snowed under for days. This issue also contains Margaret Deland's second article on the life in France today, and the first part of Alexine Heyland's charming and amusing story, "Oh, Annice!" The second installment is to appear next month. Then there is the conclusion of "The Man from the Air," by Frederick Orin Bartlett, and short stories by Elsie Singmaster, Maria Thompson Daviess, Evelyn Gill Klahr and Eva Strong. William A. Page tells about "The Movie Struck Girl."

Thomas L. Masson has an interesting article on "What is Your Scale of Living?" and Mrs. Anna Steese Richardson writes about her visit to our sailor boys near Cape May.

There are other good departments and a splendid picture section containing an interesting full page on "Cold Pack Canning," by Alice Bradley. The fashion department offers many good and helpful suggestions. In view of the latest request of the Food Administration every housewife will want to read "A Week Without Wheat." There is a timely garden article, and the children are not forgotten, as they have their Own Circus to cut out.

The Summer Term at the Chillicothe Business College opens June 3rd and this big, popular institution is preparing for the greatest summer attendance in its history.

Miss Elizabeth English went to St. Louis Wednesday evening being called there by the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. L. R. English.



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